

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 7 public bills, H.R. 4256–4262; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 106 and H. Con. Res. 113–114, were introduced.

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Additional Cosponsors:

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Reports Filed: A report was filed on March 23, 2012 as follows:

H. Con. Res. 112, establishing the budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 2013 and setting forth appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 2014 through 2022 (H. Rept. 112–421).

A report was filed today as follows:

H. Res. 595, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3309) to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to provide for greater transparency and efficiency in the procedures followed by the Federal Communications Commission (H. Rept. 112–422).

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Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Denham to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Recess: The House recessed at 12:08 p.m. and reconvened at 2 p.m.

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Journal: The House agreed to the Speaker's approval of the Journal by a recorded vote of 310 ayes to 80 noes with 4 answering "present", Roll No. 129.

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Recess: The House recessed at 2:15 p.m. and reconvened at 3 p.m.

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Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Exempting inter-affiliate swaps from certain regulatory requirements put in place by the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act: H.R. 2779, amended, to exempt inter-affiliate swaps from certain regulatory requirements put in place by the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ ye-a-and-nay vote of 357 yeas to 36 nays, Roll No. 127;

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Business Risk Mitigation and Price Stabilization Act: H.R. 2682, amended, to provide end user exemptions from certain provisions of the Commodity Exchange Act and the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ ye-a-and-nay vote of 370 yeas to 24 nays, Roll No. 128; and

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Amending the Federal Deposit Insurance Act with respect to information provided to the Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection: H.R. 4014, to amend the Federal Deposit Insurance Act with respect to information provided to the Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection.

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Recess: The House recessed at 4 p.m. and reconvened at 6:30 p.m.

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Suspension—Proceedings Postponed: The House debated the following measure under suspension of the rules. Further proceedings were postponed:

Homes for Heroes Act: H.R. 3298, to establish the position of Special Assistant for Veterans Affairs in the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

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Presidential Messages: Read a message from the President wherein he notified the Congress of his intention to suspend designation of Argentina as a beneficiary developing country under the Generalized System of Preferences (GSP) program—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered to be printed (H. Doc. 112–94)

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Read a message from the President wherein he notified the Congress of his intention to add the Republic of South Sudan to the list of beneficiary developing countries under the Generalized System of Preferences (GSP) program—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered to be printed (H. Doc. 112–95).

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Two ye-a-and-nay votes and one recorded vote developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H1556–57, H1557–58, and H1558. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 12 noon and adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

Committee Meetings

TSA OVERSIGHT PART III

Committee on Oversight and Government Reform and Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Full Committee held a joint hearing entitled "TSA Oversight Part III: Effective Security or Security Theater?". Testimony was heard from Christopher L. McLaughlin, Assistant Administrator for Security Operations, Transportation Security Administration; Stephen Sadler, Assistant Administrator for Intelligence and Analysis, Transportation Security Administration; Rear Admiral Paul F. Zukunft, Assistant Commandant for Marine Safety, Security and